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## EVENTS IN THE EAST.

### MOUNTED POLICE FIGHT WITH INDIANS.

**One Red Man Killed—John Joseph Hawkins Trying to Fix Up the Ottawa Cabinet—Robert McGreevy and Owen E. Murphy Found Guilty.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A World's special from Helena, Mont., says: "From two Indians who have arrived at the Blackfoot agency it is learned that there has been a fight between Canadian mounted police and Blood Indians, but just when or where is not known. One policeman and one Indian were killed, and one policeman was wounded. The two Indians are under surveillance, it is believed they were engaged in the fight. Col. J. C. Bates, commanding Fort Assiniboine, has ordered Lieut. Brown, of the First Cavalry, with his troops to remain at the Blackfoot agency to give the agent any assistance he may require.

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—Information has been received that while Constables Ryan and Alexander of the Mounted Police were searching for whiskey last evening near Stand Off, 20 miles south of Fort Macleod, they were fired on in the dark by a party of Indians, whose fire they returned with their Winchesters. One Indian dropped and the others fled. The Indian who fell is fatally wounded. Constable Alexander received a flesh wound, which is not serious. It was found that this party of Indians had been stealing cattle from the ranchers.

**Working on the Cabinet.**

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—John Joseph Hawkins, Mr. Henry, and several others from the neighborhood of Brantford, have been here since yesterday, being sent for by Premier Abbott to consult with him as to the reconstruction of the cabinet. They had an interview yesterday and another to-day regarding the political situation as far as Western Ontario is concerned. Hawkins is loud in his praise of Abbott as premier, but insists that better representation must be given Ontario. They object to the crowding out of Bowell for Clarke Wallace, and favor J. C. Patterson as one of the ministers from the west. In regard to the other provinces, they don't want to interfere, but as far as Ontario is concerned they demand better representation. Hawkins says the day of one man power is gone.

**McGreevy and Murphy.**

QUEBEC, Oct. 24.—Robert H. McGreevy and Owen Eugene Murphy have been found guilty of conspiracy to defraud Michael Connolly. They have jumped their bail and cannot be found. The case arose out of the famous $400,000 note which Michael Connolly signed on one occasion when he and Murphy were killing time and amusing themselves by drawing up "make-believe" documents. The charge was that Murphy slipped this particular note into his pocket and afterwards sold it to Robert McGreevy, who attempted to collect from Michael Connolly.

**A Corean Prince Killed.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—Su Pean, a Corean Prince, was killed last night by a train at College Station, Md., near this city. He came to this country with the commission sent out by Corea, years ago, to investigate the progress of civilization in foreign countries, and decided to make his home here. His persistent refusals to return caused the confiscation of large estates owned by him. Becoming interested in agricultural advancement, he studied at the Maryland Agricultural College, and after being graduated last June obtained a position in the agricultural department, where he devoted himself to translating and compiling data concerning agriculture in China, Japan and Corea. Su Pean was 40 years old. Recently he endeavored to obtain permission to return to his native country, but the request was refused.

**Railway Lands Opened.**

WASHINGTON, D.C., Oct. 23.—Commissioner Carter of the general land office has sent an order to the register and receiver of the United States land office of Ashland, Wis., giving notice that on Monday, November 2 next, all lands in that district held for indemnity purposes for the benefit of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company will be restored to settlement and entry. Much of the land is said to be valuable for its timber.

**San Salvador Railways.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A Herald special from San Salvador via Galveston, says the Minister of Public Works has approved the surveys and profile plans submitted for a line of railway between San Salvador and San Tekla, and the work of construction will be begun at once. Simultaneously a line will be built between La Libertad and San Tekla, making another route between the capital and the coast.

**A Bark Burned.**

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The British bark Addie H. Canny burned at sea, was last reported as at Rosario, on Sept. 6, about to sail for Rio de Janeiro and Captain Haines and the crew were rescued and arrived at Castellos.

**Louise Michel.**

PARIS, Oct. 24.—Louise Michel, the famous French Anarchist, has returned here, where she will resume her lectures.

### MR. RODERICK FINLAYSON.

**A Veteran Citizen Who Was Present at Victoria's Birth.**

In the ranks of Victoria's pioneers Mr. Roderick Finlayson can claim priority. He came to this locality while yet there was no indication of the future existence of a city save the uncompleted fort of the Hudson's Bay Company, and while the Songhees were the proprietors of the surrounding soil. Mr. Finlayson was born in the western Highlands about 70 years ago, and came to America when sixteen years of age, crossing in an emigrant ship to New York. Through the agency of an uncle there he entered the service of the H.B. Co., being first attached to the office at

Montreal, and afterwards stationed for a time at Ottawa, then called Bytown. In 1839 he crossed the continent to Fort Vancouver, on the Columbia, then the Pacific headquarters of the company. The following year he was one of the party who accompanied Sir James Douglas on the steamer Beaver to Sitka, to take over the strip of shore leased by the company from Russia. Mr. Finlayson was left as assistant to trader Kennedy, who had charge of the fort built on the Tako river, and in the summer of 1841 he was ordered to the Stikeen to take charge of the post there. At that post he remained six months, when he went to Fort Simpson as trader, staying there until the spring of 1843. At that time he was taken by Douglas to assist in the establishment of the new post at Camosun, which was to prove the nucleus of the city of Victoria. Douglas had started with an expedition from Fort Vancouver in March, 1843, to select a location for the new establishment which was to succeed Vancouver as the headquarters of the company on this coast. He chose a spot on the east side of the inlet known to us as Victoria Harbor, set a number of men to work at building a fort and then sailed north on the Beaver. When he came back Mr. Finlayson accompanied him. That was on June 1st, and three months later Fort Camosun was ready for occupation. Charles Ross, who had been in charge of Fort McLoughlin, in the north, was placed in command, of the new post, with Mr. Finlayson as second. In the spring of 1844 Mr. Ross died, and Mr. Finlayson became chief of the post by order of Mr. Douglas.

Life in Fort Camosun was not without adventure. Horses and cattle had been sent here from some of the posts in the Sound country, chiefly for use in clearing and tilling the land. The Indians did not hesitate to look on the oxen as fair game, and it is related that a band of Cowichans, whose chief bore the euphonious name of Tsoughilam, on one occasion appropriated a number of animals for food. Mr. Finlayson demanded that the offending Indians be given up or payment be made for the cattle. Tsoughilam returned a haughty negative, and finally hostilities followed a rupture of diplomatic relations. The Indians fired several volleys at the fort, but they weakened when they saw some of their lodges shattered by a round of grape from the fort cannon, the Indian women and children having been first warned to leave the camp for a safer place. Furs were then brought by the savages to pay for the slaughtered cattle. Such were the early days of Fort Camosun, whose name in 1845 some prosaic person changed first to Albert and then to Victoria. The fort, when completed, was a square of 150 yards, surrounded with cedar pickets 18 feet high, with bastions at the north-east and south-west angles. In each of these bastions was a battery of six-pounder guns. Inside the palisade were eight log buildings, most of them used for the storage of the varied assortment of goods which the company bartered to the Indians for furs. Outside the fort there was a large farm, on which wheat, potatoes, etc., were raised for the food of the attaches. According to Mr. Finlayson's own statement, "in 1852 the town of Victoria was laid out in streets, then bounded on the west by the harbor, on the east by the present Government street, on the south by the old fort, and on the north by the present Johnson street. Outside of these boundaries were the fields which were under cultivation." From that beginning Mr. Finlayson has seen the place grow into the present attractive city of Victoria.

It would require too much space to give with any degree of detail the incidents connected with the veteran's career and the growth of the city. For many years Mr. Finlayson remained in the service of the company, having occupied the important post of treasurer at the time of the gold excitement, when many hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of the precious dust was entrusted to his keeping. After the retirement of Sir James Douglas the company's affairs on the coast were entrusted to a board of management, consisting of Dugald McTavish, who had charge of the post here, Mr. Tolmie and Mr. Finlayson, who held then the rank of chief factor. There is probably no other man living who has seen so much of the process by which this city and province grew to their present status from an early appanage of the great fur-trading company. Mr. Finlayson is at present a hale and hearty veteran, apparently with many years of life yet before him, and possessed of a goodly share of "this world's gear," a faculty of accumulating which is always attributed to men of his nationality.

**Fire in Paris.**

PARIS, Oct. 24.—A disastrous fire broke out at midnight last night on the Rue des Cordeliers. Palry's dye works and Pradine & Deobaux's leather works were completely gutted before the fire could be extinguished. The damage is estimated at $250,000.

## THREATENING LETTERS

### RECEIVED BY ANTI-PARNELLITE NATIONALISTS.

**Morocco Rebels Impaled—Chinese Government's Action—Lord Lansdowne at the Capital of Cashmere—Russia Boycotting the Rothschilds.**

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Since the death of Parnell the members of the McCarthyite faction who were conspicuously opposed to him have been in receipt of all sorts of threatening and offensive missives, as a rule anonymous. Timothy Healy is especially a target for attack, and Sheehey, the Galway member, has had nearly an equal share, especially since his attack on John Redmond. Healy affects to treat the matter with contempt, Sheehey is very much excited over it, and would like to meet some of his correspondents.

MOROCCO REBELS SUPPRESSED.

MADRID, Oct. 24.—Advices from Morocco state that the Sultan has entirely subdued the rebels against his authority and captured two of the insurgent chiefs, both of whom were impaled. Besides taxes due to the Sultan, the rebellious tribes were condemned to pay a heavy fine.

THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT MOVES.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 24.—A message from Pekin says that the Chinese Government has decided to dispatch a part of the Pechihli garrison to restore and maintain order in the disturbed localities. This resolution was arrived at with great reluctance, as the Pechihli troops are specially depended upon for the protection of Pekin and the adjoining country. The Chinese Government became satisfied, however, that there is some danger of a renewal of the old Taeping rebellion, and that vigorous action is necessary to prevent the movement becoming formidable.

AN ESTATE FOR KOSSUTH.

BUDA-PESTH, Oct. 24.—The movement to present Kossuth with an estate near Dabas, in Hungary, is meeting with enthusiastic support. The estate in question is where Kossuth's parents are buried, and where he wished to be interred. Should Kossuth live until April next, he will be 90 years of age, and his Hungarian admirers are already making preparations to celebrate the event. He is said to be in fairly good health.

LORD LANSDOWNE IN CASHMERE.

CALCUTTA, Oct. 24.—Lord Lansdowne entered the capital of Cashmere yesterday and was enthusiastically received. The Viceroy is giving personal attention to the reported Russian inroads on the Pamir.

A BURDENSOME TAX.

ROME, Oct. 24.—Much discontent exists among the business classes over the exaction of the tax of 14 per cent. on profits, many finding themselves unequal to meet the demand, and in some instances industrial enterprises will be given up, owing to the pressure of this and other burdens.

MAY SURPRISE THE SOCIALISTS.

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—It is said that the Kaiser has had the new programme of the Social Democratic party under personal consideration for several days, and that he has indicated to the ministry that he may astonish the Socialists in the coming session of the Reichstag by adopting some of their propositions.

THE KAISER'S VANISHED BEARD.

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—The Kaiser's change of face on the beard question is not hailed with general satisfaction, however much it may have pleased the Empress. It is generally alluded to with reserve, but looks rather than word tell that the people are beginning to regard the Kaiser as too vacillating.

BOYCOTTING THE ROTHSCHILDS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 24.—The police have given notice to bankers that no dealings with or through the house of Rothschilds will be permitted in Russia. Bankers corresponding with the Rothschilds in Paris, London or elsewhere must seek new correspondents. The Russians are said to feel deeply irritated at the Rothschilds on account of their opposition to the recent loan, which was negotiated without their assistance.

**English Train Wreckers.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The frequency of attempts at train wrecking, lately, has aroused a feeling of uneasiness amongst the people. There have been serious cases of the kind within the past two days. The elaborated character of the preparations made by the would-be wreckers, the solidity of the obstructions placed on the metals, and the artfulness with which the work is done to avoid detection, together with the ominous fact that all the trains aimed at are express trains; all these circumstances seem to justify the belief that the outrages are the work of an organized gang of wreckers. The theory is advanced in some quarters that the object of the criminals is to affect the value of certain railway stocks for speculative purposes. The smashing up of the costly rolling stock comprising one of the principal express trains, together with the enormous sums that would have to be paid out for damages to passengers or in death claims, would, of course, temporarily affect the securities of the company, which should be the victim of such a plot. The alarm, created by the attempts, is so great that urgent orders have been sent out to the London county police to watch the lines, and so far as possible to co-operate with the railway officials in endeavoring to detect the wreckers. Home Secretary Matthews has urged the officials of Scotland Yard to employ all their energy in the same direction. The newspapers have devoted much space to the matter, and some of them are quite hysterical in their treatment of it. Every known expedient, looking to the detection of the guilty parties and to the prevention of further attempts, is suggested, some of them notable for their absurdity. For instance, the St. James Gazette thinks it a thousand pities that a couple of bloodhounds have not been put on the scent of the perpetrators of the fiendish attempts upon human life. It is true that bloodhounds were found to be useless in tracking "Jack the Ripper," but the fact that the canine detectives are failures in London does not prove that they would be unsuccessful in country districts, where the conditions under which they would operate are so different. The Gazette declares that it would be worth the while of each family to own a few of these sagacious animals, which could be kept at a central point, and be telegraphed for when required. "Even the mere knowledge that they were available would have a tendency to deter a man from taking the risk of attempting jobs of this dastardly character," adds the article.

### QUEEN VICTORIA.

**Reported in New York to be at the Point of Death.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—It is rumored here that Queen Victoria is violently ill, and that she cannot live through the night.

A later dispatch says the Queen is quite well.

**Matters in Russia.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 23.—Plentiful rains are falling in the southern provinces of Russia, completely changing the prospect for next year's crop. The work of ploughing and sowing is proceeding with vigor, and the peasants no longer despair of a good yield from their fields.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A Times Berlin dispatch says: Germany is pestered with paupers, Russian, Jewish and other denominations. Ninety-five more returned here from, Bremen yesterday in a starving condition, having been refused passage to Brazil, and were sent to the work house. Many others are arriving in small parties in the same destitute condition, owing to the famine in Russia.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent says: There is no longer doubt of an effort to have the exportation of wheat prohibited, and a decree to that effect is expected daily. The press asserts that a conference is to be called here on the Pamir question, but that is unlikely before the commission has visited the spot. The undertaking is impossible until next spring.

**Damage by Floods in England.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—In Buckinghamshire, the country in the vicinity of Newport on the Ouse is submerged, and the inhabitants have been compelled to seek refuge on the upper floors of their houses. A railroad cutting near Christ Church, undermined by the floods, collapsed this morning and completely blocked up the lines. The surrounding neighborhood is inundated so that to repair the damage is impossible until the subsidence of the floods. The Thames is still rising, and is already five feet above its normal highwater mark. A portion of the royal gardens at Windsor are flooded. The flood has demolished a pile dam which had been constructed across a 50-knot gap in the embankment in the river Parrott in Somerset. An enormous volume of water poured through the breech thus made, causing widespread damage to the adjacent country, and forcing the country people to use boats in passing from village to village.

**Britain at the World's Fair.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—There is published to-day an elaborate report by Sir Henry Wood and James Dredge, British commissioners, who recently returned here from visiting the site of the World's Fair at Chicago. The report recommends the erection of a handsome building on the site provided for the exhibit of Britain, and commends the courtesy of President Harrison and Secretary Foster and all the exposition officials whom the British commissioners met. The commissioners, it appears, are much impressed with the manner in which the important work at Chicago is undertaken, and they say there is no doubt of the ultimate success of the fair.

**Chinese Revolutionaries.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Daily News this morning prints a letter from Che Foo, China, which says the recent disorders meant in reality the incubation of revolution against the present rotten dynasty. The letter says that Chinese officials, high and low, have been squeezing the people worse than ever, and the royal coffers are still denuded. Fresh taxes are being imposed and money is being extorted everywhere throughout the country.

**The Pope's Letter.**

ROME, Oct. 24.—The Pope has written a letter to the Archbishop of Aix, in which he says that the author of the recent outrage at the Pantheon indulged in every possible license. They profaned the church, heaved insults upon the pontiff and shamefully maltreated the French pilgrims. In concluding his letter the Pope expressed the hope that the unfortunate incident will not lead to further trouble.

**Italy's Wheat Crop.**

ROME, Oct. 23.—Estimates from the various provinces of Italy place the crop of wheat for 1891 at 44,097,900 hectoliters, which is 2,302,300 hectoliters less than the crop of 1890, but much larger than the crops for several years previous to that. The crop of oats for 1891 is 6,022,600 hectoliters, a falling off of 676,400 hectoliters from the crop of 1890.

**Grand Duke Michael Pardoned.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 23.—High personages at Copenhagen have induced the Czar to pardon his cousin, Grand Duke Michael, for his marriage to the Countess of Merenberg, daughter of the Grand Duke of Nassau, and the fact will be announced at the Czar's silver wedding celebration.

**William Loses His Whiskers.**

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—The thirty-second anniversary of the Empress Augusta Victoria was celebrated here to-day. The Emperor, to the surprise and delight of the Empress, presented himself clean shaven except for his moustache.

# WAKEMAN'S WANDERINGS

## CHILDREN OF THE BRITISH NOBILITY.

**They Are Reared Under a Regime of Extreme Rigor—Good Health and Habits Chiefly Sought—Everyday Life of Little Lords and Ladies.**

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LONDON, Oct. 13.—During a number of years' travel in England, Ireland and Scotland I have often been situated so that observation was both proper and possible on the manner in which children of the nobility are reared, and have personally found exceeding interest in understanding more and more the details of their everyday life. We have some incorrect impressions regarding the subject. A certain class of literature is responsible for this. Generally speaking, it conveys the idea that British lordlings are a pampered brood, living in a fairyland of jewels, sweets, flowers and frills.

This is not true, so far as I have been able to observe. Their regime, until they take their place of nothingness in the world, is one of considerable rigor. Good health, good manners, good habits and good morals are the unceasing seeking of those who have them in charge, and the discipline invoked with this end in view is really severe and tireless. That they do not all become pretty fine men and women can scarcely be the fault of their training.

It is fortunate for any child to be born in the country. It is estimated that this good fortune has befallen 90 per cent. of the British nobility. Whatever demand London or Continental cities make upon the British noblemen in point of social duties and residence, his town house after all is only his lodging house, and this holds true even if it be a splendid palace. At a time of tender expectancy, to the castle or country house milady always repairs.

Months before a new scion of a British house makes its ordinarily human red-and-speckled appearance, the order for its appareling has been made. If the child ever has much of an advantage over plebeian little ones it thus early receives a marked and important favoritism. Its layette usually comprises from two to four dozen pieces each of bands, shirts, skirts, dresses or robes, pinning blankets, stockings, caps and "carrying cloaks." Its skirts, shirts—except it be a "winter baby," when they are then all made of silk flannel—and robes are of the finest Irish linen lawn, its bands and pinning blankets of silk flannel, its caps of real lace and the most delicate ribbon and its carrying cloaks of surah silk or faille and lace. These are usually ordered from "infant outfitters" of note in London, Liverpool, Belfast, Dublin, Glasgow and Edinburgh; but occasionally they are prepared by several artistic seamstresses and embroiderers who work under the immediate direction of the housekeeper or milady herself. In either case the dainty fabrics are covered with expensive hand embroidery, are misty with rare Valenciennes lace, number from 400 to 800 pieces and have undoubtedly cost from $2,000 to $5,000.

Accouchement in the homes of the nobility is accompanied by an extraordinary attendance of medical and surgical talent. No one physician, however eminent, is relied upon. Two or three are always present, and often half a dozen, while several trained nurses have been secured from famous hospitals. The fees expected and paid are often out of all reason, and frequently the *douceur* will equal the fee. The occasion is always welcomed by the entire retinue of servants. In many great houses all of these receive gifts of money; the officiating nurse, particularly if she be an old retainer, is munificently remembered, and the "lower house" is usually allowed to indulge in a quiet merry making at milord's ungrudged expense.

Another matter of the gravest import has had to be arranged. Titled ladies never nurse their own children. The woman who is to be the real mother of the helpless lordling for the first twelve to eighteen months of its babyhood career is often the subject of extraordinary and anxious search. Her character must be blameless, yet she must be situated so that for this length of time she can forswear her own babe and home. These and other suppositiously necessary conditions are not easily satisfied, and perhaps some of the most entertaining and curiously worded advertisements found in the columns of the British press are resultant from these peculiar quests. No other person in any capacity of household service commands such wages as do these women when they have been found. They never receive less than $100 per month, and often from $250 to $300 is paid.

This nurse is always provided with two or more undernurses. With her precious charge she is not consigned to the regular nursery of the castle, which is always a capacious apartment well removed from those of the chief inmates, but is provided with a room or suite of rooms, which in ordinary use are guests' chambers, not far from milady's boudoir. This provision is a temporary one, and the little lord or lady's surroundings are for the time being of the plainest character. The customary furniture is removed and packed away. A plain cot, perhaps a sofa, a swinging cradle, a chair or two, the *bijouterie* of babyhood necessities only, and in an open grate a tiny coal fire which is never permitted to go out in winter or summer, are all that the titled baby's eyes may look upon during its first year or two of life. Its nurse mother may occupy the same room. Usually she is given an adjoining apartment.

The first real event in the babe's career is its christening—or "churching," as the servants, surrounding dependents and villagers persist in calling it—and its robes for this occasion are marvels of the needle worker's art. Christening always occurs between the ages of six weeks and three months. British conservatism and form attach a double importance to the event. The child is thus authoritatively signed, sealed and delivered over to the ranks of the rockrooted nobility, and its titled mother is officially permitted to resume her place in noble society. Attached to nearly every castle or manorial hall is a private chapel, or more frequently the ancient parish church, the "living" of which is nearly always the gift of the lord of the manor. Christenings among the nobility are invariably celebrated in these, and privately. Possibly the parish registrar may be present. Occasionally near relatives and close friends are invited. These and the immediate household servants are the only attendants. But the incumbent of the living, though he may be assisted by noted canon or prelate, always performs the office. A dinner follows, and while of a most exclusive character it is invariably an expensive and superb feast, the clergyman or priest who has officiated being the guest of honor.

From the moment of christening the babe—which has received not only its Christian names but its title, often a jumble of family and property appellatives as outlandish as long—is never addressed by parent or servant in any other manner than by its title. Its parents may occasionally so far forget themselves as to apply some tender nickname or love word to the child; but this could only occur in moments of great secrecy and weakness. It is spoken of to all friends and servants in the third person, as "Lady Helen," or "Lord Arthur," the epithet of nobility being prefixed to the child's Christian name. Its distinct title is applied only after the death of the person from whom such title descends; formally in necessary legal instruments, or when its age of majority is attained. Eldest sons carry their title from the date of christening.

To illustrate, take the house of Manchester. The eldest son of the late duke was Lord (William George Victor Drogo) Mandeville. He was Lord Mandeville from christening. He is the present Duke of Manchester. His younger brother, Lord Charles Montagu, was always "Lord Charles" simply, in childhood and minority. The only son of the present Duke of Manchester is Lord (William George) Kimbolton. The lad is therefore now "Lord Mandeville" and successor to the dukedom. It is, perhaps, irreverent to imagine these little tots as other than beings superior to the ills of flesh under such aristocratic conditions, but "Lady Helen" has wind on her little stomach and "Lord Arthur" has to run the gantlet of paregoric and rash, precisely as with your child or mine.

At about a year's age, the nurse mother is relieved. Perhaps for another year special nurses are employed in the care of the child. At from two to three years of age it is transferred to the household nursery, although the special nurses may be somewhat longer retained. This nursery is always a most spacious apartment. Connected with it, or leading into it from an adjoining hall, are a dozen or more pleasant little rooms where older children sleep, sometimes with a nurse in each room, and for nurses, the governess and her assistants. The principal room of the nursery is not only a fantastic museum of everything conceivable with which to amuse children, but it is also their library, music room, study, dining room, play room in unpleasant weather, and the sitting room and prison home of milady's professional governess.

This individual is expected to educate and form the manners and morals of the children, of the girls to the age of twelve and the boys to the age of seven or eight, when tutors for the latter are provided. These are both instructors and slaves. The governess must read, write, speak and teach French and German, and be able to instruct in the rudiments of Latin, the sciences and philosophy. She must sing and teach vocal music, and play and instruct upon the piano and harp. In fact she must be the superior companion and servant of her charges. Her compensation is forty pounds to sixty pounds per annum. In the greatest houses she is allowed two, and sometimes three, nursery maids, at from ten pounds to sixteen pounds each.

The daily regime of these children of the nobility is about as follows: They rise at 7 o'clock the year round. They are given a short walk before breakfast, which is served in the nursery at 8, and consists of oatmeal and cream, a little baked or mashed potato, perhaps a bit of cold lamb, milk and fruit. Then they must assiduously study until 10. Then comes the walk in the grounds or a drive in a double phaeton, the governess in charge and an under coachman or stable boy as driver. On their return they are allowed to romp a little until dinner. At this meal they are served with soup or boullion, a trifle of fish, sparingly of roast meat or grilled chops, a small "help" of vegetables and a little fruit, or instead, custard or rice pudding. The younger ones may nap and the older ones play until 3 o'clock. Then comes study until 4. A half hour's drive or walk is had, when they are entertained by the governess with stories, improvised or read, with music or by games until 6 o'clock. Then the supper, when weak chocolate, cocoa or tea, with crackers or toast, is served, and perhaps a trifle of cold roast. By half past 7 o'clock every one of these lordlings is in bed and sound asleep.

Whether the castle is asleep in its inane home life, or is stirred by the presence of many noble visitors, its child life ever remains the same. Children are almost exclusively reared without seeing their parents save by chance. The regime of meals is as strict and formal as that with their elders. The governess is always with them at meals, and indeed practically never absent from them. Their study, play hours, meals, outings and hours for rising and retiring are as rigorously observed as at a military school. Their clothing is wholly prepared under the direction of the governess. Her ladyship simply receives reports of discipline and progress. She is in no sense their mother. On rare occasions when her ladyship is alone, or when guests who are close friends are present, they are permitted to appear with the governess at the family table. But these occasions while regarded as rewards, are dismally formal and austere.

Some things these children gain. The vast grounds are full of sweetness, sunlight and song. They are kept in these every moment permissible from their studies. I believe them to be from infancy to their departure for school, and sometimes until their entrance to noble society, the healthiest children and youths in the world. Something else is gained. As a rule, their compulsory and habitual abnegation before their elders prevent that insufferable arrogance and turbulent, insulting self consciousness of the average petted and spoiled American youth. So, too, if they lose the society of their titled parents, they gain within and without castle doors, if the same be not always retained, as I have seen in progress about these unduly grand places, a democracy of affection and a growth of innocent love among a host of rarely reciprocative if quaint and simple folk.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| 10:15 a.m. | Lv | 24 | .. Seattle ... | 93 | Lv | 3:00 a.m. |
| 1:30 p.m. | Lv | 72 | Pt. Townsend | 35 | Lv | 11:45 p.m. |
| 4:30 p.m. | Ar | 117 | .. Victoria† .. | M | Lv | 8:30 p.m. |

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| 9:00 p.m. | Lv | 24 | .... Seattle .. | 100 | Lv | 2:30 p.m. |
| 12:15 a.m. | Lv | 72 | Pt. Townsend | 52 | Lv | 11:30 a.m. |
| 2:25 a.m. | Lv | 105 | .. Anacortes .. | 20 | Lv | 9:00 a.m. |
| 6:45 a.m. | Ar | 121 | .. Fairhaven .. | 3 | Lv | 7:30 a.m. |
| 6:10 a.m. | Ar | 123 | ... Schome ... | 1 | Lv | 6:30 a.m. |
| 4:30 a.m. | Ar | 124 | .. Whatcom* .. | M | Lv | 6:00 a.m. |

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
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COING SOUTH. READ UP.

| No. 1 Passenger Daily. | No. 3 Passenger Sun. and Sun. | Miles from Wellington. | STATIONS. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ar. 12:15 P M | Ar. 5:30 P M | | Wellington ... |
| 12:30 | 5:45 | | Extension ... |
| 12:40 | 5:55 | | Diamond ... |
| 12:50 | 6:05 | | Cumberland ... |
| 1:10 | 6:25 | | Union ... |
| 1:40 | 6:55 | | Comox ... |
| 11:45 A M | 4:25 | | Royston ... |
| 10:50 | 3:30 | | Hunt's ... |
| 10:34 | 3:14 | | Kenton ... |
| 10:24 | 3:04 | | Bevan ... |
| 10:21 | 3:01 | | Gartley ... |
| 10:17 | 2:57 | | Union Bay ... |
| 10:07 | 2:47 | | Cedar ... |
| 9:50 | 2:30 | | Nanaimo ... |
| Lv. 9:30 A M | Lv. 2:14 P M | | Departure Bay ... |
| Ar. 8:00 A M | Ar. 12:45 P M | | Victoria ... |

COING NORTH. READ DOWN.

| No. 2 Passenger Daily. | No. 4 Passenger Sun. and Sun. | Miles from Victoria. | STATIONS. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv. 8:00 A M | Lv. 2:30 P M | | Victoria ... |
| 8:34 | 3:04 | | Departure Bay ... |
| 8:50 | 3:20 | | Nanaimo ... |
| 9:07 | 3:37 | | Cedar ... |
| 9:20 | 3:50 | | Union Bay ... |
| 9:26 | 3:56 | | Gartley ... |
| 9:30 | 4:00 | | Bevan ... |
| 9:40 | 4:10 | | Kenton ... |
| 9:50 | 4:20 | | Hunt's ... |
| 10:00 | 4:30 | | Royston ... |
| 10:20 | 4:50 | | Comox ... |
| 10:40 | 5:10 | | Union ... |
| 11:00 | 5:30 | | Cumberland ... |
| 11:10 | 5:40 | | Diamond ... |
| 11:20 | 5:50 | | Extension ... |
| 11:30 | 6:00 | | Wellington ... |
| Ar. 11:50 A M | Ar. 6:11 P M | | |
| Dn. 2:00 P M | Dn. 8:00 A M | | |
| 2:14 | 8:14 | | |
| 2:24 | 8:24 | | |
| 2:34 | 8:34 | | |
| 2:41 | 8:41 | | |
| 2:47 | 8:47 | | |
| 2:51 | 8:51 | | |
| 3:01 | 9:01 | | |
| 3:11 | 9:11 | | |
| 3:21 | 9:21 | | |
| 3:31 | 9:31 | | |
| 3:41 | 9:41 | | |
| Ar. 3:50 P M | Ar. 9:50 A M | | |

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## CANADIAN NOTES

**Recent Events Reported From the Eastern Provinces.**

Robt. Bennett, of Georgetown, Halton county, is applying for a divorce from his wife Matilda, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

Notice has been given to holders of Central Bank bills to send them to the liquidators at Toronto before November 24th, or their claims will be forfeited.

The following half-yearly dividends are announced: Montreal and Toronto, 5 per cent.; Hamilton and Imperial, 4 per cent.; Commercial and Merchants, 4½ per cent.

Daniel Whale, charged with the murder of his wife at Mitchell in August last, has been found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to imprisonment for life.

It is claimed by the friends of Curran M. P. for Montreal Centre, that he has the offer of the new position of Solicitor General from Premier Abbott, and it is said he will probably accept.

Bishop Ansou, of Qu'Appelle, met with a serious accident Wednesday evening when driving. When crossing the railway track his horse shied, throwing the Bishop out on his head. He will recover.

Mrs. Conrad Rijolofsson, of the Thingvalla Icelandic colony, near Langenburg, N. W. T., was gored by an ox last night, on the farm of Sigurdur Rijolfsson. The poor woman sustained a wound in the abdomen six inches long, and is in awful agony. She was soon to become a mother, and the wound is necessarily fatal.

Withdrawals from the postoffice savings bank in September were $601,278, deposits $530,674. Balance, $17,305,000. At Victoria the deposits for the month were $30,144, withdrawals, $37,422. Trade returns for September show: exports, $12,225,596, against $12,540,528 for September, 1890. Imports for the month, $11,030,074, against $10,706,006. The duties respectively each year were $1,860,520 and $2,140,532. For the quarter of the fiscal year ending September 30, the exports were $34,011,012, against $35,200,528 last year. Imports for the same period, $30,538,928, compared with $31,016,995, duty being $5,185,729 in 1891 and $6,561,935 in 1890.

A Montreal dispatch says: One of the most important movements made by Great Britain on the American continent in many years is foreshadowed in a cable dispatch from London to-day. It is nothing less than the regular use of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the transportation of British troops from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and vice versa, when bound to or from England and India. The Canadian Government and the company itself have always denied that the Imperial Government had any interest in the railway. The first move by the home authorities will be made in December and is described as in the nature of an "experiment." Detachments of about 700 marines and sailors with officers will be exchanged between Vancouver and Halifax. The necessary preparations will be made forthwith. The force to be transported westward through Canada comprises the usual reliefs on the fleet of the Pacific and China stations, and that coming eastward will comprise men whose term of duty on foreign stations has been completed. General Passenger Agent McNicol of the company says the negotiations have been going on with the Imperial authorities for some time. The company will provide everything required for the transcontinental journey, cars, berths, meals, etc., and will take the force up at one ocean and put them down at the other. "There is no doubt," continued Mr. McNicol in speaking of the matter, "that later on the Imperial Government will use the line for transferring all their troops to and from India. By this means, too, the English Government will always have ready for use a military organization along the northern border of the United States, and be in a position at any time to lay down a large force of regulars at almost any point on the international boundary.

**Railway Matters.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 23.—General Superintendent Pitcairn, of the Pennsylvania Company, says there is not the slightest foundation for the story that the object of President Roberts' trip west was to make a traffic alliance with the Northern Pacific, whereby the Northwest was to be opened up to the Pennsylvania Company.

OMAHA, Oct. 23.—The Pacific Short Line was this morning sold to George W. Wickersham and A. S. Garrison, of Sioux City, representing the Manhattan Trust Company, for $2,000,000. It is understood the road was purchased in the interest of the Great Northern.

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His friends observed the sad change, and freely commented on his serious condition.

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## THE WORN-OUT CABINET.

Evidently Premier Abbott is in a bad way over the reconstruction of his cabinet, or he would not send for a man like John Joseph Hawkins, of Brantford, to aid him in the task. But Mr. Hawkins' personality apart, the visit to Ottawa of the Brantford deputation spoken of in our Ottawa dispatch is significant, in that it shows a considerable difference of opinion among the Ontario Tories as to the proper choice to be made from the meagre cabinet material in that province. Their bickerings, coming on top of the Quebec perplexities may well make Mr. Abbott wish he had never accepted the premiership. Nothing else than such perplexity as this could have been expected to follow Sir John Macdonald's death. The Old Man deliberately pursued the policy of surrounding himself with colleagues who were little better than nonentities and therefore were pliant in his hands. He loved absolute rule and could tolerate no independence of thought or action in other members of his ministry, or in other members of his party, for that matter. So it comes to pass now that while one-man power is no longer possible, an attempt to build up a Cabinet of good material leads to hopeless entanglement. The Tories have so long depended on Sir John's system of government by bribery and autocracy that with its disappearance they are left stranded.

## THE OTTAWA IRREGULARITIES.

According to a dispatch in this morning's Colonist, the sub-committee of the Privy Council appointed to investigate departmental irregularities at Ottawa has found that sixty clerks were guilty of violations of the Civil Service Act. These are punished to the extent of losing one month's salary. Deputy Minister Burgess, whose irregularity was not a very gross one, is degraded to the rank of chief clerk. It was announced some days ago that Mr. Burgess was to be superannuated. It is further stated that Talbot, Dionne and Arnoldi are to be prosecuted, along with some outsiders who defrauded the Government. A great flourish has been made over the promised prosecution of boodlers, but so far the only visible sign of the work being undertaken is a suit against Seneca for the purpose of recovering from him the money he unlawfully gathered in the way of commissions. Such a suit would appear to have little prospect of success, and looks too much like a pretense at prosecution. If the same line is to be taken in the cases of all the boodlers they might about as well be left alone. More vigorous measures than this will be necessary to show that the government is in earnest. The public in the meantime will be apt to conclude that so much wrong-doing could not be found amongst the civil servants if the Government itself were not corrupt.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer has the grace to say of the Canadian militia:—"It is composed of as sturdy, gallant, well-drilled, well-armed and well-disciplined citizen soldiery as there is in the world."

On Monday the Toronto police force will engage in the work of taking a census of that city, after the method which we noted some days ago. Doubtless Toronto's small-minded neighbors will enter a vigorous objection to her endeavor to correct the work of the Dominion census-takers.

John W. Bookwalter, an American statistician, is of opinion that the time will soon come when all the breadstuffs produced in the United States will be consumed there. The vacant lands across the line are no doubt becoming scarce, but it is pointed out that the lands already occupied would produce more than they do now if they were more carefully cultivated. Enhanced prices would be caused by scarcity, and these would in turn give a strong incentive for more thorough tillage. Nevertheless, Mr. Bookwalter's view of the situation should encourage Canadians to look forward to a time not far distant when their vacant lands will be more in demand for wheat production. It follows that we should value our heritage of public lands more highly than we have done in the past.

The methods of the California sugar refiners are thus spoken of in the Oregonian:—

"The amount of Hong Kong sugar being received here is only a drop in the bucket," said a commission merchant yesterday, "and really cuts no figure in the market. It is all sent here by San Francisco dealers on consignment or to order. It all has to be sold here, so it is impossible under existing arrangements to ship it up country. Sugar is sold to dealers in the eastern parts of this state and Washington at a less price than to dealers in other parts of the state in order to protect the territory of our merchants from Eastern sellers. The drop in sugar yesterday was made by the Western refinery to meet a drop at the East, and to prevent sugar being shipped from the East into the territory claimed by the Western refinery. The way in which the sugar trade of this coast is handled shows what a man can do when he has sole control of such a staple."

The California men are not singular in this respect.

## *TRAFFIC IN CHINESE WOMEN.*

TO THE EDITOR:—Knowing that some of the Chinese merchants in the city understand enough English to appreciate our daily papers, with your permission I will make a suggestion to those who are merchants among them. This morning's Colonist states, and states truthfully, that certain prominent Chinese merchants are implicated in the importation of young girls for immoral purposes. It is known to myself and a few others who these merchants are, but so far as the general public is concerned, the statement that certain well-known Chinese merchants are slave-dealers of the most despicable kind, without mentioning names, throws the whole body of Chinese merchants under a heavy cloud of suspicion—that is, the description given so far is applicable to any or all "among the best-known Chinese merchants." I would therefore suggest to those merchants among them who are not trafficking in human flesh to drive the matter home to those who are guilty of it, and thus exonerate the innocent ones. They can the more easily do this by virtue of the board of trade which they have among them, commonly known as the "Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association." It is not fair that the innocent should suffer for the guilty. When they do, the better class of Chinese express their opinion of it in their proverb, "Hark gow dong shig, bark gow dong tsoi," that is, "The black dog got the eating, but the white dog the beating." By expelling the guilty ones from their board of trade, they will not only throw the imputation on to those to whom it properly belongs, but it will help the customs authorities, the press and the people to put an end to the iniquitous traffic. J. E. G.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

Services at the Different Episcopal Churches—Other Services.

The Church of Our Lord, (Reformed Episcopal)—Rev. C. E. Dobbs will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. Morning service at 11. Evening service at seven. Bible class for young men at 10 a.m. Sunday school and young ladies' Bible class at 2:45 p.m. Bible reading every Friday at 4 p.m. in the schoolroom.

There will be the usual preaching services at the Calvary Baptist church, Herald street, by the pastor Rev. M. L. Rugg. Morning service at 11 o'clock; evening at 7 p.m. Sunday school at 3 p.m. Young peoples prayer meeting at 10 a.m. Subject of evening sermon "Heaven, same characteristics of the future life."

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES.

The following are the preachers in the city churches to-morrow:

Christ Church Cathedral—Morning, the Lord Bishop; evening, the Rev. E. T. Lipscomb.

St. James Church—Morning, the Rev. E. T. Lipscomb; evening, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. John's—Morning and evening, the Rev. Percival Jenns.

St. Barnabas—Morning and evening, the Rev. Geo. W. Taylor.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, Rev. W. D. Barber.

CITY DISTRICT SERVICES.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning and evening, Rev. M. C. Browne.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Morning and evening, the Rev. S. C. Scholefield.

St. Michael's, Lake—Afternoon, Rev. M. C. Browne

Tolmie—Morning, at 11, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Cadboro Bay—Evening, at 7.30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Indian Reserve—Afternoon, at 3:30.

Provincial Jail—Morning, at 9:30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

The Rev. Belton Haslam arrives from the east to-morrow to act as *locum tenens* for Rev. Canon Beanlands while he is in England.

The Rev. F. B. Hewetson, an M.A. of Oxford, arrives in November in the place of the Rev. H. Kingham. Mr. Hewetson has been working for seven years in a parish in one of the poorest parts of London.

The Bishop of Columbia returned home on Friday none the worse for, and very pleased with, the various ceremonies of the week.

## SUSPENDED FROM DUTY.

The Conduct of Gilbert W. Clayton-East, Acting City Clerk, to be Enquired Into.

His Worship the Mayor this morning performed the ceremony of formally suspending from his official functions Gilbert W. Clayton-East, acting city clerk. One of the reasons for this proceeding is a general complaint of "freshness" laid against Mr. Gilbert W. Clayton-East, coupled with a lofty indifference to all Aldermanic orders, requests or instructions. When it pleased him he complied with the wishes of the city fathers; when it didn't, he consigned their orders to the receptacle which the magazine editor retains for the rejected contributions of amateur authors.

There is, though, another and more serious charge with which the finance committee will have to deal. It is one touching closely on fraud, and is based on a system of accounting for certain typewriting. An outsider is said to have been employed to do the work; a certain price was charged, and the amount was divided. It is into this phase of the question that the finance committee will enquire on Monday morning.

## BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Linen Crumb cloths at Weiler Bros.

Jams and jellies pure—Okell & Morris.

The time for offering plans for the Board of Trade building will close at noon on Monday next.

If you want a cheap suit of underclothing, Lion Clothing Store, 74 Yates street.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

The Islander last night brought over one carload each of flour and feed, liquor and general merchandise.

Macaulay & Higginbottom, 74 Yates street, are offering some special lines in men's suits very low prices.

Artistic linen and silk lamp shades at Weiler Bros, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Canada's best production in the way of pianos at prices that would astonish you at T. W. Fletcher's, 97 Fort street.

The first batallion drill of the season was held at the drill shed last evening, the men being addressed by Colonel Holmes.

First-class coat makers wanted at Simpson's, 86 Government street.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

The Sehl Hastie-Erskine Furniture Company received a lot of new machinery from the East last evening for their factory.

New Codfish just received at R. E. Jameson's, 33 Fort street.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

The space between the lines of the street car tracks is being gravelled along Store street, much to the benefit of that thoroughfare.

Okell & Morris' jams, put up in Victoria, warranted pure.

There were several cases in the police court this morning against people for leaving horses unattended on the public street. Each offender was fined $2.

Ladies cream, blue, pink, and gold satin evening slippers at Erskine's Boot & Shoe Emporium, 132 Government street corner of Johnson.

Miss McLaughlin, nurse, has been called to Vancouver. Those desirous of engaging her services are requested to call at Dr. Ernest Hall's office or Cochrane & Munn's drug store.

Messrs. Muirhead & Mann, who have been in business for many years as lumber dealers and inside finish manufacturers, and have built up a large trade, are placing along their roof a large sign which will announce to the world the nature of the business done by them.

## PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Adl. Templeton, of Vancouver, is in town.

E. M. Woods, of Westminster, is at the Driard.

Geo. A. Huff, of Alberni, is registered at the Oriental.

Rev. T. Crosby came in on the Islander last evening.

Miss Shaw was an inward passenger on the City of Kingston last evening.

Thos. C. Sorby, the architect, came back from the Mainland last evening.

George and Miss Mesher returned to Victoria last evening from the Mainland.

E.B. Carmichael and Mrs. Carmichael returned home by the Islander last evening.

Rev., Mrs. and Miss Lipscombe were passengers to Victoria by the Islander last evening.

J. C. McLagan, jr., of Vancouver, was in the city to-day taking in the lacrosse match.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge left this morning for New Westminster, where he will (D. V.) hold a confirmation on Sunday, at St. Paul's R. E. Church.

Mrs. J. H. Matheson, of St. Mary's, Ont., a sister of Dr. Harrison, ex-Premier of Manitoba, is with Miss Nora Clench, the violinist who appears at the Victoria theatre next week.

Miss Nora Clench, the talented lady violinist who is to appear at the Victoria theatre on Monday, arrived over last evening with her party, and is stopping at the Hotel Dallas.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## THE CITY AND DISTRICT

### To Sporting Men.

Horse timers from $9 to $300, at Jackson & Mylius', 76 Government street, Colonist building.

### Doubt the Story.

The police state that the story of Anderson, who says he was held up and robbed the other night, is lacking in several important points, and it is thought that the report was somewhat exaggerated.

### The Money Market Easier.

Local financiers report the money market a good deal easier, with plenty of money for good securities. The fact of the Bank of England rate of interest remaining at the regulation three per cent. has induced a feeling of steady confidence.

### Artistic Penmanship.

Mr. T. J. O'Sullivan will open his class rooms in the Redfern block for the study of artistic and advanced penmanship. The samples of Mr. O'Sullivan's handiwork, as exhibited in Ker & Begg's window, are of the highest style of penmanship.

### Furniture for Vancouver.

Messrs. Weiler Bros., of this city, this morning shipped to Vancouver the office furniture for the new Bank of British Columbia building in that city. The furniture is a fair sample of the work turned out by the firm, who have won a wide reputation for office fixtures.

### Fined Fifty Dollars.

Mary Branton appeared again in the police court this morning on the adjourned charge of keeping a disorderly house on Broad street. The witnesses she promised were not forthcoming to prove her innocence, and his honor accordingly condemned her to pay a fine of $50 and costs.

### A Long-Felt Want to be Supplied.

Twenty more cottages to be built at once at James Bay on tram line. Easy terms.

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5 at $1000—$100 " " "
5 at $1250—$150 " " "
5 at $1500—$250 " " "

YOUNG & BARTLETT.

### Panther Killed.

A large panther was killed yesterday by Mr. W. J. Wale of Saanich. The brute is seven feet in length, and will be quite an ornament to the museum when stuffed, Curator Fannin having that job in hand now. A lengthy career of sheep stealing was shortened by a dose of strychnine, and one "varmint" less haunts the island.

Ask your grocer for Okell & Morris' jams.

### Halifax Schooners.

A Halifax paper, speaking of the sealing business, says: Of 44,500 sealskins caught in Behring sea this season, 24,000 were taken by sixteen Nova Scotia schooners fishing in that water. The results have been so encouraging that Nova Scotian capitalists are now fitting out a fleet of ten vessels to proceed to the Pacific and engage in next season's fishery.

### For Men.

To-night at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, on Broad street, there will be a prayer service from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, and from 8 to 10 the mock parliament will be in session. The bill to be considered is one to abolish the liquor traffic. To-morrow at 4 o'clock there will be a gospel service for men only, with an address by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven. All of these meetings are open to men.

### Down West — — ?

Yesterday evening a well known sealer captain was coming ashore from his schooner, satisfied with a day's work well done. His companion, who was propelling the boat, gave a sudden lurch, and the captain was precipitated into the arms of Neptune. After visions of home and friends had flashed through his mind the captain rose to the surface and was rescued. Until he gets accustomed to British Columbia boats he should travel on anything else, even a camel, in preference.

### Steam Dryers.

The Sehl-Hastie-Erskine company are putting in a steam dryer, similar to the one started by Messrs. Muirhead & Mann last spring. The success with which the machine has worked for the latter firm has no doubt been the main reason of the adoption of the system by the firm of furniture makers mentioned. The steam dryer is a first class addition to such a business, and means a better class of goods as well-seasoned lumber is a guarantee of good work in completed articles.

### She Didn't Disappoint Him.

A good story is told of a Government street business lady whereby she stole a march on a drummer. She was paying a large bill, but the recipient on counting the money discovered the amount fifty cents short. He asked what that meant and was answered: "Oh that's all right. You see when a man pays you a bill you generally ask him out for a drink, and in that way get rid of half a dollar. Now I propose that you shall not be disappointed, although I can't go out with you for a drink."

### To Reduce the Noise.

Both the Edison and the Thomson-Houston companies are working on inventions that will tend to lessen the noise of moving cars in operation on electric lines.—Two plans are being worked on. One to improve the gearing, and the other to do away with the gearing entirely. A gearless motor has been tried by the Sprague Company, it is said, with some success. When success is certain the street car company here will adopt the motor, and then the progress of the cars will be almost noiseless.

### Sealers' Association.

The several members of the Sealers' Association desire to have that body in a better condition, and in order to effect this have determined to adopt a regular constitution and by-laws. With this end in view a meeting was held last evening in Pioneer Hall, and a committee composed of Messrs. Morris Moss, John L. Penny, W. R. Brown and Capt. J. G. Cox was appointed to draw up by-laws to be submitted at the next meeting for adoption. After these preliminaries are settled the matter of indemnity to those vessels whose season was spoilt by the closing of Behring Sea will be considered.

### At the Victoria Gardens.

The Egyptian sphinx, found by Mr. J. F. Harbottle on Queen Charlotte Island, is on view at the Victoria Gardens. 1t.

### Great Reduction.

John McCallum, merchant tailor, is offering for the next 30 days, tweed suits $25 to $30, fine worsteds, $40 to $45, pants, $7 to $12. Call and examine my stock at 45 Broad street. *

### Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor Strops, a complete line of shaving materials, &c. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

Ladies' cream, blue, pink, and gold satin evening slippers at Erskine's Boot & Shoe Emporium, 132 Government street corner of Johnson.

### Spirit Medium.

"Ouida," now located at 53 Yates street, will give Spiritual Service in Pioneer Hall, on Sunday evening, 25th inst., at 8 p.m. After inspirational speaking, spirit tests will be given, and flower readings. The small admission fee of 25 cents will be charged to defray expenses.

### Give Them a Call.

We the undersigned beg to notify the public and hotels, restaurants, and boarding house keepers especially that we are now prepared to supply our celebrated Cambridge sausage at a price to suit you all. Don't forget to give us a trial. 125 Fort street, Whitlaw & Co.

### Pink Ducks.

A gentleman of this city, who is something of a bird fancier, has procured from an eastern city a pair of pink ducks, which are the admiration and envy of his many friends. The ducks have been duly exhibited to learned limbs of the law, government officials, immediate neighbors and others, who have expressed much surprise at the brilliant and extraordinary color of the fowls' plumage. All sorts of theories have been advanced to account for the color, some experts having stated that it was due to some mineral substance in the water where the ducks came from, it being claimed that they had been originally procured in an interior part of China. *Prior* to their advent to British Columbia, it is known to a few that the celebrated patent dyes are responsible for the coloring.

### The Lepers Heard From.

Captain Clarke, of the steamer Alert, which arrived in last night, called at Darcy island on the way down and saw the lepers. He reports that they are doing well, and seem contented and happy in their isolated homes. They have asked for a new supply of provisions which will be sent to them at once by the committee having charge of these subjects.

The following letter was received from them:

*To Mr. Yip Wing, Victoria, B. C.:*

DEAR SIR,—We can hardly realise it, but it is some months since we had seen each other. During that time we hope it has been exceedingly prosperous with you in your wealthy city—gold and silver coming to your hands in great abundance, all in their approved time.

We five people who are here beg to state that all the provisions such as bacon, oil, etc., so kindly given us have all been consumed—in fact, two weeks ago. As to rice, you, of course, know how much was left, and can therefore make the needed calculations. If you will kindly take the necessary steps to make our wants known and send us the provisions as soon as possible, we shall be most thankful, and say in our hearts your merits are immeasurable. From

LAU AH SE, } Of the place
NG CHEUNG, } without a name.

Ninth day of the ninth month.

## INCREASING THE POWER.

### A Pair of Wheelock Engines Added to the N. E. T. & L. Co.'s Plant.

Some few weeks ago the N.E.T. & L. Co. gave a contract to Goldie & McCulloch, of Galt, Ont., for the construction of a pair of compound Wheelock engines which were to be used for supplying the power to the lighting department.

These engines have now arrived, and Mr. Robert Turnbull, who represents the manufacturers, is supervising the placing of the big machines in position. A short description of them would not be out of place just now.

They are of the type known as "tandem," that is the high pressure cylinders, in which the steam does its first duty, are placed behind and in line with the low-pressure ones, where the steam finishes its work in pushing the pistons, which are both on one common rod. There are two sets of cylinders, the high pressure 17 inches in diameter, the low 30, with a stroke of 38 inches. At a steam pressure of 120 pounds and 85 revolutions per minute 550 horse power is developed.

The engines being arranged in pairs, permits of either side being laid off in the event of a breakdown, but the remaining one can keep at work, thus causing no delay, a feature appreciated in electric lighting.

A large surface condenser is also provided by the builders, with air and circulating pumps fitted.

The N.E.T.&L. Co. have made a good selection in choosing the Wheelock engine, which has many special points which commend themselves to the attention of manufacturers who desire to reduce coal bills. The double engine being put in will only be run singly for a time, as it will then give ample power for lighting dynamos, but as the resources of the plant are drawn upon and the lights increased, which is sure to be the result ere long, a reserve is held in store at a very slight advance on the first cost.

Another steel boiler is to be added to the present battery of four, which are already in use, in order to furnish steam for the additional engines. When this plant is in it will be one of the most powerful of its kind on the coast. The single engine, which now runs the lighting dynamos, is also to be compounded at an early date, the directorate being fully alive to the benefits of that system of using steam.

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Steamship Empress of India sails for the Orient to-morrow.

Purest jams—Okell & Morris.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

## MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

### "A Turkish Bath" Drives Away the Blues—Roars of Laughter—Coming Events.

Physicians have declared that a Turkish bath is a panacea for every human ill almost. This referred to the process through which one goes in an institution full of furnaces, sluices, shower baths and iron wristed individuals who scrub and knead an unfortunate "bather" into unconsciousness. The Turkish bath to which an unusually large audience was treated at the Victoria last night is one out of the ordinary. It is what may be termed a mental Turkish bath, performing for the nerves and spirits all that the orthodox bath does for the body. It takes up dull care and throws it away; it revives the drooping spirits and makes one forget all trouble. There was nothing but one continual round of laughter from beginning to end; with not one dull moment. The play is a medley of fun, ludicrous situations, and light nonsense generally. There is a real live dude, an Irish policeman, two amateur actors, two stage struck girls, a doting father and uncle, a negro servant, a madcap little girl and a bull dog so absurdly mixed up with one another as to form a fun producing combination at whose antics the most dyspeptical cannot help laughing. Little Marie Heath is the life and soul of all this. She is a winsome little thing, bubbling over with native wit; seems never to tire, and is as good natured as she is good humored. She sings remarkably well, too; and her rendering of "Won't you come out and play" was appealingly childlike. The thunderous applause which she received for this gem was well deserved. She was twice recalled. Mr. T. Wilmot Eckert's expressive tenor voice was heard to considerable advantage, and was much appreciated in several pieces. The Misses Berg and Maybelle Eckert were also very good, and Mr. Frank Murphy as policeman McGoogle was convulsingly funny and very original. The play, which will be repeated this evening, is one that should not be missed by anyone who seeks a downright hearty laugh. There is more fun in it than killing one's mother-in-law.

KEENE IS COMING.

Though tragedy is admitted to be the highest form of dramatic composition, great tragedians are very rare nowadays. In this country not above three remain, and one of these—Edwin Booth—is, more's the pity, not playing this season. Thomas W. Keene is, however, and he will be seen here in one of his best impersonations on October 28th and 29th. A year ago Mr. Keene made his first visit to this section of Her Majesty's dominions, and then received a welcome which made him anxious to visit us again. Many of our people had seen and admired him in the East, and they greeted him here as an old acquaintance and friend. He comes this season in perfect health and spirits, and supported by a very fine company. Let us give him packed houses and a welcome equal to his desserts. Take time by the forelock, and secure seats as early as possible.

ENJOYING A HOLIDAY.

Miss Ray Levy, (Ranette Lewis) the soubrette, who was one of the principal people in "A Social Session" company, and Miss Carrie Franks, (Carrie Lewis) are at present staying with the former's parents in this city. Miss Ray is taking a holiday after a very successful season, but will soon return to the stage where she is such a prime favorite. Miss Carrie, who by the way is one of the best child actresses on the American stage, will finish her education in Victoria, and it will be a year or two before she will again delight the comedy-loving public.

MISS NORA CLENCH.

Victorians have for some time been looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the coming of Miss Norah Clench and her talented company. They arrived yesterday and will spend Sunday in the city. They appear in the Victoria Opera House on Monday and Tuesday next, when all fortunate enough to secure seats will have an opportunity of hearing one of the most select concerts given in Victoria for years. All along the line the company have been greeted with sincerely enthusiastic audiences. The fact that wherever they have appeared every member has been encored again and again speaks for itself. In Winnipeg and Calgary many were turned from the doors, unable to procure even standing room. In Vancouver and New Westminster the concert was pronounced the best ever given at the coast.

Following is the programme for Monday evening:

PART I.

Piano Solo......"Fantasie-Stucke"..... Schumann
Mr. Paul Ambrose.
Duet....."Estudiantina,"..... Lacome
Mrs. Mackelcan and Mrs. Hamilton.
Violin Solo....."Air Russes,"..... Wieniawski
Miss Nora Clench.
Song....."A Summer Night"..... Goring Thomas
Mrs. Mackelcan.
Violin Solo....."Andante"..... Mendelssohn
Miss Nora Clench.
....."Chanson Boheme"..... Bizet
Mrs. Hamilton.

PART II.

Piano Solo....."Norwegian March"..... Grieg
Mr. Paul Ambrose.
Song....."In Old Madrid"..... Trotterc
Mrs. Mackelcan.
Violin Solo....."Hungarian Dances, 5 & 6"....
..... Brahms-Joachim
Miss Nora Clench.
Song....."Once Again"..... Paul Ambrose
Mrs. Hamilton.
Duet....."I Feel Thy Presence"....
..... Graben-Hoffmann
Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Mackelcan.


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## THE POPE'S POSITION.

### Feeling at the Vatican Regarding the Government's Action.

ROME, Oct. 22.—Interviews with eminent cardinals confirm the accuracy of the statements cabled a few days ago regarding the feeling at the Vatican, touching the demonstration of the French pilgrims at the Pantheon. In a talk with the Associated Press correspondent, one of the cardinals, who is close to the Pope, said the investigations made prove the disorder of October 2, was prepared and arranged in advance by the Italian government against the radical republican demonstration at Nice, and against the Pope. Under Secretary of State Deluces and M. Garibaldi, he asserted, arranged the conspiracy. The triple alliance was informed of it, and approved of it, as a reply to the fetes at Nice and as a direct attack upon the Pope and pilgrims. It was a desired affirmation of monarchical right against the French republic and against the status quo at Rome. The Italians sent to all mayors a circular letter in order to add weight to the manifestation. The correspondent asked why so large a part of the monarchical and liberal world favored the outrages upon the French pilgrims, and the cardinal replied: "The government wishes to give to the world the impression that Rome is opposed to the Pope, and that Italy will have no reconciliation with France, or any amicable understanding between the Vatican and the French republic. The demonstration was the result of the republican and democratic policy of the Pope. Since the famous toast of Cardinal Lavigerie, said he, and the demonstrations at Cronstradt, all our official world, monarchical and liberal and sectarian, has been living in a state of trouble. It felt its edifice, so laboriously erected, to be cracking and threatening ruin to all hopes. All illusions were vanishing, and then came the scandals of Oct. 2. Leo perfectly understood the meaning it was intended to convey to him, and told him what is well known when he announced: "I am no longer a prisoner; I am a hostage. I am threatened with exile and assassination if I will not capitulate before the enemy."

Official Italy, the Cardinal said, desires to sequestrate him, to restrict his liberty, and declares by these demonstrations that if the Pope does not yield he will be killed or driven from Rome. Everybody regrets the Pantheon incident, but nobody has the courage to brave the anger of the government. In reply to the correspondent's query as to what the Pope will eventually do, the Cardinal said: "I do not yet know. He caused a diplomatic note to be sent to the papal nuncios touching directly the real significance of the affair. He will wait for the public mind to be well fixed upon the origin and character of the liberal manifestations. When this work of preparation is accomplished he will act."

The Cardinal further said, nothing as yet is decided as to the Pope leaving Rome, but that everything is in readiness for such a step. At any rate the relations between Italy and the Pope will be seriously modified. Leo is aware of the secret machinations of the triple alliance, and will act in consequence. Asked about the next conclave the Cardinal said they had been dreading the exodus, but that recent events have caused a long step in the idea of holding the conclave abroad. They had thought only in case of war to ask for a Pope abroad, but events have enlightened them as to the last design of the Italian revolutionists.

### How a Train Robber Died.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 22.—A Times-Democrat Del Rio, Tex., special says: Full details of the pursuit and capture of the Southern Pacific train robbers reached here to-day. The posse struck the trail near Juno on Tuesday and pressed on. They caught sight of the robbers at 3 p.m., at a distance of about 300 yards in a deep canyon, on Live Oak creek, near Grierson Springs, in Crockett county. They were unaware of pursuit, and were proceeding in the direction of the Texas Pacific, which road they are thought to have had designs upon. The posse approached unseen to within 100 yards of them, when the back horse of the robbers took fright and made a dash, which caused the men to look around, when they discovered the pursuers. Captain Jones ordered a charge, and a running fight followed. Langsdon soon weakened and gave up, and Tom Fields, soon afterwards finding himself hard pressed, also surrendered. Wellington and Flint ran several miles, when the former's horse was shot from under him. He left the animal and took up the side of the mountain, but Captain Jones was right upon him and cut off his retreat, whereupon he surrendered. Flint ran at full speed a distance of ten miles, firing back upon his pursuers as he went. Fire was returned, and he was mortally wounded. He fell off his horse, and sitting upon the road, coolly produced pencil and paper and wrote a will bequeathing his effects to his brother. He then pulled a pistol and blew his brains out. A posse arrived at Comstock to-day with the prisoners, and will go west on to-night's train to El Paso. Sheriff Keffer went up to-day with warrants for the men, but Captain Jones refused to deliver them to him.

### To Counteract the Dreibund.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—A dispatch to Figaro from Copenhagen says that during the royal gathering at the Fredensberg palace of the Danish royal family, where the emperor and empress of Russia have made long visits this autumn, the formation of a "League of Peace" was discussed at length among the titled notabilities there assembled. The league is to include Russia, Servia, Montenegro, Greece, Sweden, Denmark and France. This league of peace, should it be an actual fact, would naturally be regarded as a counter move to the renewal of the Dreibund agreement openly announced by the Emperor of Germany previous to his recent visit to England.

### Victory At Vivian.

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### American Dealers Not Favored.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Stock Exchange committee has rejected the proposal that American dealers be accommodated after closing hours. Two hundred and fifty members signed the petition in favor of granting accommodations and 1000 members signed the petition against it.

### Diploma to American Engravers.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—The committee on the International Exhibition of Arts at Berlin, 1891, awarded the Society of Wood Engravers in New York City the great diploma of honor.

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my23-1y J. W. RICHARDS, 36 Govt. St.


## NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS against the undersigned will be paid on the fourth day of November next, 1891, and all debts due to me must be paid by the same date as I am retiring from the hotel business.

JOSEPH BAYLEY,
Trentham Hotel, Half Way House,
oct23-1w Esquimalt Road.


J. L. FARWIG, WORKING UPHOLSTERER

187 Douglas street, below Iron Church.

Mattresses, Lounges, Easy Chairs, etc., repaired at moderate prices. oct6-1m

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| Some of the best farm lands on Vancouver Island.....per acre$ | 10 |
| 10 acres, Cadboro Bay....per acre | 150 |
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| Acre property, Gordon Head Road | 250 |
| 100 acres improve land in South Saanich.....per acre | 85 |
| 176 acres near Nanaimo. Good alder bottom, improved, price.. | 8000 |
| Building lots, James Bay, prices from.....$700 to | 1500 |
| Two fine corner lots on Richmond Road and Pandora Street...two | 1150 |
| Fine building lots, two minutes' walk from tram, Cadboro Bay Road.....each | 450 |
| Three acres, Belcher Avenue, excellent building site....per acre | 2000 |
| One lot Chestnut Avenue, near Jubilee Hospital, price..... | 420 |
| Fine building lot, Rithet Street, James Bay, price..... | 1000 |
| Fine new house, 15 rooms, all hard finished, price..... | 3000 |
| New cottage and lot, Front street, Victoria West, price..... | 1200 |

T. G. RAYNER,
Conveyancer and Notary Public
Bank Building, Trounce Avenue.

W. J. DEASY
(Successor to J. C. Smith)
Chimney Sweeping and Carpet Beating

House cleaning and all odd jobs promptly attended to.
Orders may be left at T. L. Irving, 98 Yates street; J. T. Paget, 139 Fort street; J. C. Smith, Humboldt street. oct21-1w



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THE CANADA Machinery and Supply Co.
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Engineers, Boiler-Makers and Machinists.
Dealers in New and Second-hand
MACHINERY AND MILL SUPPLIES.
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LANGE & CO.

before retiring from business in the early part of 1892, are going to have one more Guessing Match, for which they are offering Twelve Handsome and Costly Prizes, consisting of:

1. Gent's Gold Watch, hunting case.
2. " " " " "
3. Lady's Gold Watch (Enamelled, with inlaid Diamonds on case).
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6. Lady's Diamond Ring.
7. Silver Tea Set of five pieces.
8. " " four "
9. Silver Water Pitcher.
10. Silver Toilet Set.
11. Silver Individual Cruet.
12. Silver Handled Riding Whip.

One guess for every $5 spent in purchasing goods. The above represent a very large sum, and are the finest prizes yet offered in any of our Guessing Matches. For conditions of the Guessing Match apply at the store.

93 GOVERNMENT STREET.

We have on hand the choicest stock of Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches and Clocks, etc., to be seen in Victoria. se3-4m


## THE 52ND DRAWING

For an appropriation in the

**Vancouver Island Building Society**

Will be held in

SIR WM. WALLACE SOCIETY'S HALL,

Broad Street, on

**Wednesday, 28th Instant, at 8 p.m.**

See that your shares are in good standing.

By order, B. WILLIAMS, Secy.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 20th, 1891. oct22-1d

## SALE OF WORK.

The ladies of St. James' Sewing Society propose to hold their annual sale of work on

TUESDAY, NOV. 10,

At St. James' Hall, James Bay. Full particulars next week. oc22

## TENDERS.

Tenders addressed "Secretary Victoria Club" will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday the 24th inst. for supplying the Victoria Club with coal from the 1st November next until the 30th July, 1892. By order of the supply committee.

B. WILLIAMS,
Sec.

Victoria, B. C. Oct. 17th 1891.
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LOOK INTO THIS

If you require

A NICE BUILDING LOT,
A GOOD HOUSE, or
PROFITABLE INVESTMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 Lots Menzies Street - - | $3000 |
| 1 Lot Rithet Street - - | 1000 |
| 1 Lot Carr Street - - - | 1000 |
| 2 Lots corner South Turner and Niagara Streets - | 2600 |
| 1 Lot Belton Ave., Victoria W. | 375 |
| 1 Lot Edmonton Road - - | 475 |
| 1 Lot Dallas Road, 60x240 | 2200 |
| 4 Lots, ¼ acre each, Tennyson Road, each - - - | 300 |
| 4 Lots and fine house, corner Cook Street - - - - | 6000 |
| 2 Lots Niagara St. corners, ea | 800 |
| 2 Lots Niagara Street, each | 750 |
| 2 Lots and 4 houses Bellot St. | 8400 |
| 1 Lot, business corner Douglas Street - - - - | 32,000 |

Several fine lots on Saanich Road near Douglas. Trains will pass the property. From $600 to $800 each.
Acreage and Farms for sale.

Interest and Rents Collected.

Conveyancing Carefully Attended to.

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F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.,
32 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.


## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the stock-in-trade and goodwill of the business lately carried on by us and formerly by J. Macdonald & Co. at Duncan's Station, has been sold and transferred to Messrs. Abbott and Norwood, and I beg to request for the new firm a continuance of the patronage heretofore given to the late firm of J. Macdonald & Co. and to the undersigned.

JOE MACDONALD.
Victoria, B.C., 8th October, 1891. oct9-1m

## MUNICIPAL.

### To Owners of Real Estate

TAX notices have this day been posted to all parties holding Real Estate. If not delivered at residence, please call at Postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
October 22, 1891. oc23

## MUNICIPAL.

### NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the City Clerk's office up to 4 p.m. on November 21st, 1891, for supplying 600 tons of cast iron pipe as follows:—

200 tons of 4-inch pipe.
150 tons of 5-inch pipe.
150 tons of 6-inch pipe.
100 tons of 8-inch pipe.

The above to be delivered on or before the first day of May, A.D. 1892.

By order,
GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST,
Acting C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Oct. 22, 1891. oc22-1d

## TENDERS.

WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNDERsigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Saturday the 31st instant for the purchase of all that valuable freehold property and the goodwill, license &c., connected therewith, known as the Trentham hotel (late Half Way House) Esquimalt road, Esquimalt District, the same measuring 194 feet along the Esquimalt road by a depth of 259 feet from the same, little more or less. The purchaser to take the furniture and stock in trade at a valuation. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Deeds at purchaser's expense.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1891.

J. P. WALLS,
Burnes Block, Bastion Square.
oc20 Solicitor for Joseph Bayley.

## MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS OF the B. C. Medical Council will be held in the Public Library, New Westminster, on Tuesday the 3rd day of November next.

All particulars can be obtained by addressing or applying to

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 17th, 1891. oct 17-2w

## SANDFORD JAMES MARTIN.

### Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT to the "Trustees and Executors Act," notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of Sandford James Martin, general dry goods and hardware dealer of Victoria, are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th December, 1891, after which date the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Trustees shall then have have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1891.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Trustees, John Wilson Lawrence of Toronto, and Richard Edward Cooper of Victoria. oc22-1d

In the matter of Abel Beswick, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 12th October, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 12th October, 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
oct12-60t Official Administrator.

## NOTICE.

### Sechart Quicksilver Mineral Claim.

TAKE NOTICE that we, William Ethridge, Free Miner's Certificate No. 29,043, and James Germansen, Free Miner's Certificate 29,044, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent in to the Gold Commissioner, and action commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1891.

WILLIAM ETHRIDGE,
se7-3m JAMES GERMANSEN.

## DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the copartnership heretofore existing between William W. Petri and John Cook has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on at the old stand, Delmonico Hotel, by William W. Petri and William R. Jackson, under the name and style of Petri and Jackson, who will discharge all liabilities of the firm of Petri and Cook.

Dated 26th September, 1891.

WILLIAM W. PETRI,
JOHN COOK.
oc6 1m WILLIAM R. JACKSON.

## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between S. F. McIntosh and J. W. Endean, as lumber dealers in the city of Victoria, B.C., is this day mutually dissolved. All outstanding accounts due the firm of McIntosh & Endean will be receipted for by the said S. F. McIntosh, and all accounts owing by the said firm of McIntosh & Endean will be paid by the said S. F. McIntosh.

Signed and sealed in the city of Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of September, 1891.

Signed, S. F. McINTOSH.
J. W. ENDEAN.

Signed in the presence of
GEORGE MARTYN. oc29

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO OUR PATRONS—The Victoria Electric Company purpose immediately entering upon an extension of their works by the erection of a new and commodious plant house and plant of large capacity, capable of accommodating the ever-increasing demand.

The new station will be located on Commercial street, where, aided by superior facilities for the production of Light, Power, etc., combined with large output, they will be able to offer even better service, at a very materially reduced cost to consumers.

Pending the completion of these works, every effort will be made to continue the past reliable service, and to deal with patrons fairly. Any believing, however, that they have a grievance are invited to have the difficulty adjusted by presentation to the under signed

LOUIS REDON,
President.

## NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquor at the Nickle Plate Saloon, Government street, to Thomas Garvin.

oc8-1d ARTHUR FOX.

## NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF GARESCHE, GREEN & Co., Bankers, will be carried on without interruption by the Trustees of the Estate.

F. H. WORLOCK,
J. R. CHANCELLOR, } Trustees
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ROCK BAY COAL, WOOD AND LUMBER YARD,

NORTH END OF ROCK BAY BRIDGE.

TELEPHONE 512 and 470. All Orders receive prompt attention.

S. F. McINTOSH,

Dealer in all kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Laths, Shingles, Best New Wellington Coal, Cordwood, etc.

GOOD QUALITY AND MEASUREMENT GUARANTEED

TO THE LADIES OF VICTORIA:

The pleasure of your presence is requested at the opening of

FALL MILLINERY,

on Monday, the 28th September, commencing at 10 a.m.

MRS. W. BICKFORD,

SOMERSET HOUSE, - - - 63 FORT STREET.

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--- THE OFFICE OF THE ---

VICTORIA COAL, WOOD AND LUMBER YARD

Has Been Removed to 51 Yates Street, F. G. Richards' Office.

CALL AND LEAVE YOUR ORDERS

P. O. BOX 571. TELEPHONE 175.


## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between William H. Danby and Henry G. Walker as real estate agents, is this day mutually dissolved, W. H. Danby continuing the business.

(Signed) WILLIAM H. DANBY.
HENRY G. WALKER.

Dated Victoria, B.C., 15th October, 1891. oc16-1m

## TO PROVINCIAL ARCHITECTS.

The British Columbia Board of Trade Building Committee invite plans for a proposed building, to be erected on Lots 10 and 11, Block 77, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C.

Plans to be delivered at the Secretary's office, Bank of B. C. Building, before 12 o'clock noon, October 26th, 1891.

Particulars as to accommodation required and conditions of competition will be furnished on application.

F. ELWORTHY, Secretary.
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## THE GREER ESTATE.

### NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS who have purchased lots in the above estate are respectfully requested to forward to box 183, Vancouver P.O., any sum or sums of money they may feel disposed, which amounts will be duly acknowledged and receipts therefor forwarded as credit on back payments, to meet the necessary expenses in three suits now pending, viz.: One criminal and two civil. I have not compromised any who may have purchased property in the estate referred to, with a tyrannical company, well knowing my many friends would stand by me. The darkest hour has arrived. My petition of right will be carried to the foot of the Throne and the six thousand acres, the Canadian Pacific Railway and grant, must fall to the ground. Justice will yet be had.

SAMUEL GREER.
October 5, 1891. oc8-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber lease covering the following described tract of land, namely:—

Commencing at a post on the eastern boundary of Lot 133, Sayward District; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains to a point on the northern boundary of Lot 132; thence north 120 chains; thence east 115 chains; thence south 15 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 180 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 120 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains to the point of commencement, and said to contain 10,000 acres more or less.

JOHN DENISON,
J. A. STRATHEY.
October 7th, 1891. oc16-4-1m

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council of the Province of British Columbia, has granted me a Petition of Right against the Crown, to set aside two Crown Grants, viz.: two Lots, 326 and 91, given to Sir Donald A. Smith and Richard B. Angus, for 640 acres of land in the City of Vancouver;

And whereas the case is now pending trial in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, all parties are warned not to purchase any land contained in the above-named grants, as they were issued unlawfully, without any Statute, or Act of the Legislature, or any consideration in money.

And further, that I am owner of Lot No. 1003, situated on English Bay, and within the above-named grant, as shown by the *District Registrar*; and all parties are warned not to purchase or negotiate for any of the above-named Lot No. 1003.

SAMUEL GREER.
Vancouver, Oct. 5, 1891. oc8-1m

## LAND REGISTRY ACT.

### Lot No. 412, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICTE OF TITLE of Adolph Otto Hartzagel and Louis Redon to the above lot, bearing date the 15th day of January, 1876, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry office,
Victoria, Oct. 15th, 1891. oc16-1m

## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer to William Wolfe of the license now held by us for the sale of liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Monarch Saloon, situate upon Government street in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1891.

se21-3m CLOSE & JOHNSON.


FALCONER'S MALT VINEGAR

Reads the List—The Purest and Best.

PROFESSOR J. J. DONALD, M.A., Analytic Chemist and Assayer, Medical Faculty, Bishop's College, Montreal, writes as follows:

"DEAR SIR,—I have made a most careful examination of your Malt Vinegar, finding the same pure and wholesome, free from all injurious and deleterious substances and mineral acids, and of good strength.

Falconer's Victoria Malt Vinegar is the only modern manufactured article of the kind in British Columbia. We guarantee his Vinegar for pickling, and preserving purposes. oc6

## PRELATES AND PRIESTS.

**An Imposing Gathering of Ecclesiastics' Wisdom—Bishop Lemmens' Sermon.**

The third council of the ecclesiastical province of Oregon was opened on Sunday last at Portland, and closed on Tuesday. There were in attendance the bishops and representative Roman Catholic clergy of Vancouver Island, Idaho, Montana, Washington and Oregon. Solemn pontifical high mass was celebrated on Sunday, at which the attendant clergy were present, and Bishop Lemmens officiated at a similar ceremony on Monday morning. The afternoon was devoted to the business of the council. This business, which involves several very important decrees, will not be published till they have received the sanction of the Pope.

His Lordship Bishop Lemmens preached at vespers on Tuesday. In its report of the right reverend gentleman's remarks, the Catholic Sentinel says:

The gifted Bishop of Vancouver Island and Alaska, Bishop Lemmens, took his text from the Epistles of St. Paul. He commenced his sermon by a reference to the dangers which surrounded those Catholics who met on the trains, at their work and, in fact, everywhere, persons and newspapers whose sole stock in trade seemed to be nothing but sneers and slurs. Bishop Lemmens then clearly demonstrated that the Church is actuated by the instinct of the Holy Spirit. If we could only understand the divine action of the Holy Spirit in the history of the Church, we then could fully comprehend the law of all true progress. The Church is God acting through a visible organization directly on men, and through men on society dealing with Catholicity. The Bishop then dwelt at length on the "Unity" of the Church. He said that the meditation of the great truths of the Catholic Faith is the source from which the inspiration must come, if society is to be regenerated and the human race directed to its true destination. He who would look to any other quarter for a sufficient remedy and for true guidance would be doomed to failure and disappointment. That the interpretations of Christianity by the so-called reformation, especially by its leaders, neither sanctioned nor even implied the natural rights of man the good Bishop clearly demonstrated. He stated that it was not from a knowledge of her true character that the Catholic religion suffers in the minds of a large portion of the non-Catholic community, but from the false impressions they receive.

OFFICERS OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL.

Members of the Council—Mt. Rev. Wm. H. Gross, D.D., Archbishop of Oregon; Rt. Rev. A. Junger, D.D., Bishop of Nesqually, Wash.; Rt. Rev. John B. Brondel, D.D., Bishop of Helena, Mont.; Rt. Rev. A. J. Glorieux, D.D., Vicar Apostolic of Idaho; Rt. Rev. J. N. Lemmens, D.D., Bishop of Vancouver Island.

Judges—Rt. Rev. A. J. Glorieux, D. D.; Rt. Rev. J. N. Lemmens.

Promoter—Very Rev. P. F. Hylebos, V.G.

Secretaries—Very Rev. Chas. Siegl, C.S.S.R.; Rev. W. M. Heynen.

Notaries—Very Rev. J. M. Cataldo, S.J.; Rev. Ed. O'Dea.

Chancellors—Rev. C. G. Follet; Rev. G. B. Van Lin.

Chanters—Very Rev. Adelhelm Odermott, O.S.B.; Rev. Ed. O'Dea.

Master of Ceremonies — Rev. Jos. Northman; Rev. Jas. Rauw.

OREGON'S VAST PROVINCE.

The following statistics, carefully compiled, will give a faint idea of the vast extent of Oregon's ecclesiastical province. We do not include in these figures that portion of Bishop Lemmens' vast diocese subject to Queen Victoria.

| STATE. | SQUARE MILES. |
|---|---|
| Oregon | 95,274 |
| Montana | 148,776 |
| Washington | 69,994 |
| Idaho | 86,294 |
| Alaska | 577,390 |
| Total | 972,728 |

**Aunty's Advice.**

"My brother had severe summer complaint about a year ago and no remedies seemed to relieve him. At last my aunt advised us to try Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and before he had taken one bottle he was entirely cured."—Adelaide Crittenden, Baldwin, Ont.

**Her Face Her Fortune.**

Is commonly said of famous beauties. She who uses with artistic taste Wisdom's Famous Robertine has fortune in the possessing of a complexion to which nothing but the blush of the rose or the freshness of the lily can be compared. This preparation is just what it is claimed to be—the most delightful toilet article and only perfect beautifier nown. Read the testimonials from amous artists, celebrated chemists and minent physicians. D. E. Campbell, gent.

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From this date Jackson & Mylius, jewellers, 76 Government street, will send for your clock, and return it when properly adjusted. Call, or drop in a card, which will have our prompt attention. Watches and jewelery repaired. All work guaranteed.

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**Steamer Geo. E. Starr.**

Until further notice the steamer Geo. E. Starr will discontinue her usual weekly trips from Port Angeles to Victoria and return. C. G. Rawlings, general agent.

Prof. W. E. Bergman, the well known electrician, late of New York, has arrived in this city and is at rooms 17, 18 and 19, Humphrey's Block, Yates street. Those who have visited him state that his treatment is very successful.

A fine line of 1847 Roger Bros. quadruple plated silver ware: suitable for wedding gifts, at Weiler Bros.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

Perfect cooking "porridge pots" at McLennan & McFeely's.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

### PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Victorian from the Sound—J Brown, Mrs F Carr, C M Hartley, A L Fortune and wife, R B Craig, H C Stavens and wife, W H Bow, G R Reid, A Miller, A W Arnold, W C Stevens, J S Dralle, J Layden, B Alivercia, Frank McKeown, Miss Ray Lewis, J Goldsmith, Dr H A Wilson.

Per str. City of Kingston, from the Sound—C J Cook, Jas Coates, Wm McKenzie, Richard Jones, Mrs Johnson, Geo S Sullivan, H Remingsperger, T Bartel, L E Reiser, E H Murphy, C Barker, E S Crocker, Miss Crocker, R Haug, Berger, L L Williams, M Brown, L Caton, R Kepler, Joe Barman, M Keller, C F Clapp, A Arlton, Mrs Gabriel, Frank Gabriel, William Gabriel, W M Haywood, R C Dewitt, W L McComb and wife, Dr Leroy, J H Dunner, L Anderson, Miss Shaw, Mrs Macdonald, L H Brown, S Carroll, P H Temples, M Wolff, W J Wolff, W H Perry, J Parker.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Jno Collier and wife, W H Armstrong, B Anderson, E B Carmichael and wife, A E White, J J Louttit, T Dobie, J H Dyer, Mrs Hamilton, W H Leonard, W Templeton, M Shannon, A Godfrey, A E Suckling, James Henderson, R J Frost, T Smith, D McGillivray, J B Moffat, Geo A Campbell, H S Pittendreigh, W Collins, Miss Mesher, G Mesher, Thomas Alex C D Kennedy and wife, D A Smith, L A Draper, J A Farrow, P Ambrose, T B Shoebotham, Geo Barnes, A McNeil, M Rowan, J H Gibson, Rev and Mrs Lipscombe, M Beard, Henry McGregor, Thos Crichton and wife, B Johnson, L A Fox, G Halton, W A Ward, C McKendrick, Thos C Sorby, H O'Connor, J A Smith, G W Spencer, Nora Clench, Mrs Mathison, J D Hall, E A Quigley, J Innes, W A Foster, J W Jones, Miss Lipscombe, Rev T Crosby, S Robinson, A Moffatt, J McKillican and wife, W A Milne and others.

### CONSIGNEES.

Per str. City of Kingston from the Sound—Russell McDonald, Wintermute Bros, R B McMicking, Lenz and Leiser, Cochrane & Munn, E G Prior, P C Dunlevy, Wm Felton, R Winch, B Gordon, Sehl Furniture Co, Burnett S M Co, Victoria L & Mfg Co, Jas Baker, W D Ferris.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—B McPherson, Munroe Miller, McLennan & McFeely, R T Williams, W A Baillie-Grohman, H Saunders, D H Ross & Co, B Gordon, Mrs Wallace, Sehl, Hastie & Erskine, J Ward, C F & J Galt, J H Todd & Son, J Newbegger, H P Johnston, Weiler Bros, J Mitchell, E S Hall, R P Rithet & Co, Fell & Co, Geo Powell & Co, H Bornstein, California Wine Co, Allan Cameron, Dom Exp Co.

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"I have great faith in Burdock Blood Bitters as a blood purifier. I have taken three bottles for bad blood and find it a perfect cure. It is a grand medicine and I recommend it wherever I go."—Ida Sanderson, Toronto, Ont.

**Store Gold in New York.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £105,000, including a withdrawal of £70,000 for shipment to New York.


**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Is a concentrated extract of Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock, Pipsissewa, Juniper Berries, Mandrake, Dandelion, and other valuable vegetable remedies, every ingredient being strictly pure, and the best of its kind it is possible to buy.

It is prepared by thoroughly competent pharmacists, in the most careful manner, by a Peculiar Combination, Proportion and Process, giving to it curative power

**Peculiar To Itself**

It will cure, when in the power of medicine, Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Blood Poisoning, Cancerous and all other Humors, Malaria, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Catarrh, Rheumatism, and all difficulties with the Liver and Kidneys.

It overcomes That Tired Feeling, Creates an Appetite, and gives mental, nerve, bodily, and digestive strength. The value of

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Is certified to by thousands of voluntary witnesses all over the country whom it has cured of diseases more or less severe. It is sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

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## A BY-LAW

**To authorize certain officials to borrow money to meet current expenditure.**

WHEREAS by Sub-section 133 of Section 96 of the "Municipal Act, 1891," it is enacted that the municipal council of any city in the Province of British Columbia be authorized under the conditions there expressed to borrow from any person such sum of money and bearing such rate of interest as may be requisite to meet the current legal expenditure of the corporation which becomes payable out of the annual revenue before the revenue for the year becomes payable by the taxpayers;

AND WHEREAS it is found necessary in order to meet the current legal expenditure of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow the sums of money hereinafter mentioned in accordance with said Sub-section 133 of Section 96 of said "Municipal Act, 1891."

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow from the Bank of British North America such sums of money as may be requisite to meet the current legal expenditure of the said Corporation which becomes payable out of the municipal revenue, and the amounts so borrowed shall be repayable and repaid on or before the 31st day of December, A.D. 1891, out of the municipal revenue for the said year.

2. The amounts so borrowed shall not exceed in the whole the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000), and the rate of interest payable thereon shall not exceed the rate of six per centum per annum.

3. The obligation to be given to the said Bank shall be in writing signed by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said Corporation and shall be in the form of a promissory note and shall bear the corporate seal of the said Corporation.

4. All agreements for advance heretofore made from said Bank are herby confirmed.

5. The "Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891," is hereby repealed.

6. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891, No. 2."

Passed the Municipal Council the 23rd day of September, A.D., 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 5th day of October, A.D., 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST, Acting C.M.C. oct

## A BY-LAW

**For the levying of Rates upon Land and the Improvements thereon.**

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. This By-Law may be cited as "The Land and Improvement Rate By-Law."

2. From and after the passing of this By-law there shall be raised levied and collected upon all the land and improvements upon the assessment roll of the Corporation of the City of Victoria the following rates on the assessed value thereof as appears by the said roll:

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| Time. | Ther'ter. | Bar. | Wind. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8a.m. | 50 | 29.94 | SW | Cloudy |
| 10a.m. | 53 | 29.98 | SE | " |
| 12p.m. | 56 | 29.91 | | " |
| 2p.m. | 59 | 29.99 | SE | " |
| 4p.m. | 57 | 30.00 | " | " |

Temperature—Highest, 59; lowest, 49.
Rain—0.04 in.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Oct. 24, 1891.

| Friday, Oct. 23. | | | | Saturday, Oct. 24. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H. | Tide ft. above datum | H. | Tide ft. above datum | H. | Tide ft. above datum | H. | Tide ft. above datum |
| 1 | 8.50 | 8 | 7.16 | 1 | 2.83 | 8 | 6.50 |
| 2 | 8.00 | 9 | 6.42 | 2 | 2.00 | 9 | 7.08 |
| 3 | 6.66 | 10 | 5.42 | 3 | 1.92 | 10 | 7.75 |
| 4 | 3.92 | 11 | 4.33 | 4 | 2.50 | 11 | 8.00 |
| 5 | 3.03 | 12 | 3.25 | 5 | 3.25 | 12 | 8.33 |
| 6 | 3.16 | | | 6 | 4.42 | 1 | 8.33 |
| 7 | 7.33 | | | 7 | 5.50 | | |

### THE IRISH ELECTIONS.

**Davitt in North Kilkenny—Tories Prepared to Protest—Redmond's Opponent.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 24.—When Davitt arrived in this city to-day from Queenstown he was driven rapidly to the headquarters of the Irish National Federation, where he was received by the leading members of the McCarthyites now in the city. A prolonged consultation was held, the result of which was the announcement that Mr. Davitt had consented to stand for the north division of Kilkenny, the seat of which was made vacant by the death of Sir John Pope Hennessy. In accepting the nomination of his party, Davitt said: "Whatever my friends may say or believe, I scarcely regard myself as fitted to prove a serviceable member of the House of Commons, nevertheless I consider it to be my duty to yield to the wishes of the Parliamentary majority of the Irish National party, with whom I have been joined since the recent unhappy crisis commenced." Mr. Davitt concluded his acceptance of the candidature of North Kilkenny by expressing his confidence that the vast majority of his countrymen in Ireland will as certainly approve of the course pursued by the Irish majority under recent trying circumstances as do their fellow countrymen in America.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—It is said that leading Tory lawyers have been engaged to ascertain whether there is any precedent for the admission of an ex-convict, who has been in penal servitude, to Parliament. There is no doubt that a strong Tory protest will be offered against permitting Davitt to take his seat. His election is already assured.

DUBLIN, Oct. 24.—The McCarthyites have selected Martin Flavin, a local butter merchant, to make the contest against John E. Redmond, the Parnellite candidate, for election to the House of Commons from Cork.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Tories are said to meditate the withdrawal of their candidate in Cork, on the ground that there is no hope of carrying the constituency, and that it would be a waste of money to proceed. Redmond's election appears to be generally anticipated.

**The Chilian Cable.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A special cablegram from Valparaiso to the Herald, says: The Junta to-day allowed the reopening of cable communication between this port an Iquique, which has been suspended since July last. Early in the present year the Central and South American Telegraph Co. laid a cable from Callao, Peru, to Valparaiso, a distance of 1800 miles, with an intermediate station at Iquique, 800 miles south of Callao. The cable was completed on February 2. The following day the Congressional party landed at Iquique, and from about that time the cable communication was suspended south of Iquique and so continued till July 2. Twice during this suspension the Balmaceda Government officially notified the telegraph company that it must open communication with Valparaiso. The company, desiring to maintain a neutral position, declined, giving as their reason that the Congressional party at Iquique had prevented the working of the cable there. About July 13 the Balmaceda Government renewed its demand for communication in such terms as to leave the company no alternative but to comply. On July 20, the cable steamer lifted the cable and thus "re-opened" communication direct between Valparaiso and Callao. This action of the company was considered one of hostility to the Congressional party, but in fact was one of the greatest advantage to it, for it is well known the cable was used by both parties.

**Talking to Chili.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A special dispatch to the Herald from Washington says the President had a conference yesterday with Secretary Tracy, Attorney-General Miller and John A. Foster, of the State Department, regarding the report of Capt. Schley on his investigation into the assault committed on American seamen at Valparaiso recently. The Herald's correspondent says he is informed on the highest authority that the Government would take a strong and aggressive position. President Harrison was said to be the most outspoken advocate of this course. It was in a tone of exceeding bitterness that he referred to Chili's continued hostility to the United States. He said the time had come when we must teach the Chilian people that our patience in dealing with them is exhausted. He instanced their treatment of Minister Egan. The conference lasted from 3.30 till 6 o'clock. It was decided that our national honor depended upon promptness and corresponding firmness. At the close of the conference a cable dispatch was sent to Minister Egan at Santiago, instructing him to communicate to the Chilian provisional government the indignation of the United States government at the assault upon the sailors of the Baltimore. It further instructed him to demand, first, an indemnity in money, to be paid the families of the sailors killed and to the families of such of the wounded as may die; second, arrest and punishment of the participants in the assault; and third, suitable apology to the United States. The tone of the dispatch indicates that the administration will make no delay in securing a settlement. Chili must do what she is asked to do, and do it speedily. The situation is regarded as one of extreme gravity.

**Boodler Bruner Arrested.**

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 23.—Elwood Bruner, of this city, who was indicted by the San Francisco county grand jury, charged with perjury and malfeasance in office, was arrested to-day by Deputy Sheriff Devenny, of San Francisco. Bruner's bondsmen immediately qualified before Judge Catlin and he was released. The bondsmen are A. Monk and Joseph Steffens on the charge of malfeasance, and John Weil and Geo. Newman on the charge of perjury.

### WHARF AND WAVE.

**Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.**

The schooner Kate sailed for the west coast to-day with a full load of supplies.

The steamer Mascotte leaves this evening for Nelson Island, Vancouver and the Fraser river, and will return next week with cargo from all the above points.

There is talk of the steamer Mystery being fitted up as a sealer for next season. She is a good able boat, although small, but should give good satisfaction on the coast.

The steamer Rithet's engines and boilers have been opened up for the winter lay off, and the old favorite stern wheeler will take a rest for the next few months.

### SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

**Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World Here and Elsewhere.**

THE OAR.

There is some trouble in Vancouver over the purse offered for the Hanlan-McLean race which the former won, but has not as yet been able to obtain. The Vancouverites at first offered $300, then came down to $200, and now they are having trouble in obtaining that amount. Hanlan received a telegram last evening saying that no money had been collected and those who undertook to collect it refuse to take steps.

THE HELMCKEN CUP.

At a meeting of the boating committee of the James Bay Athletic Club held to consider the protest against the race for the Helmcken cup it was decided that the cup should go to DeBrisay. DeBrisay, however, refused to accept it and asked that the race be rowed over again. This the committee decided to do and it will be rowed at Shawnigan lake next Saturday before the Hanlan-Stephenson race. The race which was protested was rowed several weeks ago, DeBrisay, G. W. Watson and Sullivan taking part. Watson came in first but turned the wrong buoy so the race was given to DeBrisay. Franklin, Sullivan and DeBrisay have entered for the race at Shawnigan next Saturday and Watson has not yet decided what he will do.

CRICKET.

MAY MAKE A RECORD.

Supt. Sheppard and Mr. T. J. Partridge are in receipt of a letter of thanks from Mr. W. C. Lawrence, of the Alameda Cricket Club, who expresses in it his pleasure over a cricket bat purchased by the two gentlemen here, and sent on to him at San Francisco. Mr. Lawrence says he got 74 runs in his first innings with the new bat, but pulled a wide at that figure. He thinks the bat a dandy, and will try to beat the record of 141 runs held by Hogue, an Australian, who wielded one bat to that score for a single innings. Lawrence, who is an Australian, intends to return to his native land the first of next year.

THE TURF.

TO PLEAD FOR HICKEY.

T. Tait, representing the Stony Oak stock farm, is here and will interview the Jockey Club with reference to the expulsion of driver Hickey, who represented that farm at the recent meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club. It is believed that Mr. Tait will endeavor to get the judges to reconsider their decision, but such is doubtful, as the matter is now in the hands of the Pacific Coast Association.

LACROSSE.

CORNWALL DEFEATS MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Oct. 24.—The Cornwalls defeated the Montreals in the championship match here to-day by five games to one. The first game was won by Montreal in five minutes; the second game by Cornwall in one minute; the third by Cornwall in eight minutes; fourth game won by Cornwall in 21 minutes, actual play; the fifth game won by Cornwall in half a minute; the sixth game by Cornwall, time four minutes. This ends the match, Cornwall winning the last five straight, Montreal only getting the first game.

MISCELLANEOUS.

This gem is from a country weekly: A slight inaccuracy crept into our report of the great Steuart-Coutts boat race a few evenings ago. It appears the prize to the winner was not a buckskin purse containing $1, but a celluloid collar, value $1, which both gentlemen have owned in partnership for years. This correction is made at the request of the referee.

**Rise in Cable Stock.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24—Mackay cable stock registered another heavy rise during the week on large foreign orders. The stock closed to-day at 131 bid, 132 asked.